

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 657

Short Title: Charter Schools/Higher Ed/LRC Study. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Lee (Primary Sponsor); and Hartsell.

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate.

March 30, 2015

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION TO STUDY
ALLOWING CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS AND COMMUNITY COLLEGES TO
OPERATE CHARTER SCHOOLS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. The Legislative Research Commission is authorized to study
allowing constituent institutions, as defined in G.S. 116-2(4), and community colleges, as
defined in G.S. 115D-2(2), to operate charter schools.

SECTION 2. The Legislative Research Commission shall report the results of a
study and any recommendations, including proposed legislation, to the 2015 General Assembly
when it reconvenes in 2016.

SECTION 3. This act is effective when it becomes law.

